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In re Application of: : T. McKelvey  
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**AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the notice of February 26, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

**Claim 1** (twice amended) An isolated polynucleotide containing a nucleotide sequence selected from the group consisting of:

- C'
- (a) a polynucleotide having at least 50% similarity with a polynucleotide coding for a polypeptide having the function of transcription factor and having an amino acid sequence of sequence SEQ ID No: 3,
  - (b) a complementary polynucleotide of polynucleotide a) and
  - (c) a polynucleotide comprising at least 15 consecutive bases of the polynucleotide defined in (a) or (b).

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